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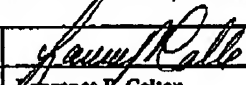
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The following is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated 31 October 2006 from Examiner of Art Unit 3721.

Status begins on page 2.**Claims Amendments** begin on page 3.**Remarks** begin on page 8.

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STATUS

The above-captioned patent application is pending.

Claims 1-19 are pending.

Claims 1-18 have been rejected under 35 USC 102 as being anticipated by Great Britain Patent No. 991222 to Agar (Agar '222). We assume the examiner meant to reject all 19 claims and this response is based on this assumption.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE

No fees are due.

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The fee for 20 total claims and 3 independent claims has been filed. After the entering of the amendments herein, this patent application will have 15 total claims and 2 independent claims.